

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please insert the following at page 1, line 2:

CLAIM OF FOREIGN PRIORITY

This application is filed with a claim of priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a) to foreign application Serial No. 0218206.1, filed in the United Kingdom on 6 August 2002, and entitled "Device, with Detachable Battery Mounting."

Please rewrite the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 14, as follows:

The use of batteries in a storage PCI adapter such as a RAID adapter is used as an example throughout this documents, although it should be understood that this is one example of battery installation and the described apparatus and method are applicable to a wide range of installations and uses wherever battery power is needed in an environment with limited space. Other applications may include, for example, telecommunications adapters and any other battery powered installation.

Please delete the following beginning on page 1, line 29:

~~It is an aim of the present invention to provide a battery mounting which can be removed from an installation in a device without disrupting the operation of the device.~~

Please delete the following beginning on page 2, line 7:

~~It is a further aim of the present invention to provide a battery mounting that maximises the space available for batteries thereby enabling larger batteries to be used in an installation.~~

Please delete the following beginning on page 2, line 16:

~~It is a further aim of the present invention to provide a battery mounting in which the battery mounting has robust contacts and can withstand shocks and vibrations.~~

Please insert the following beginning on page 4, line 27:

The present invention provides for a battery mounting which can be removed from an installation in a device without disrupting the operation of the device. The present invention also provides for a battery mounting that maximises the space available for batteries thereby enabling larger batteries to be used in an installation. Further, the present invention provides for a battery mounting in which the battery mounting has robust contacts and can withstand shocks and vibrations.

Brief Description of the Drawings

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Detailed Description of the Invention

Please rewrite page 15, line 3, as follows:

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE